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In some cases the people were found on the second floor buying Anstead's all-wool carpets at 47½c—regular price 80c and 90c. In one instance two husbands met and were surprised to find both wives. Each had bought over 2 doz. \$1.00 nightgowns at half off, paying just 50c each for them. The greatest number of missing ladies found at any one time was in Anstead's Dress Goods Department, where there are a half dozen clerks cutting off those fine Black Serges and Henriettas at 62½c and 75c, 48 inches wide, at just half the regular price, which is \$1.25 and \$1.50. Some people were buying Slotin dress lining cambrics at 3c per yard instead of paying the regular price, 6c. The 100 pieces of American Shirting Prints at 3c per yard are good. The Hosiery, Corset and Underwear departments were crowded. The Thread department, which is now the cashier's desk, and as the cashier assists in handing 3 spools of Clark's and Coats' cotton out for 10c when the crowd is large, and at the same time changing ten-dollar bills, it keeps her very busy. Well, facts are stubborn things, but it is a conceded fact that the half-off sale now going on at O. M. Anstead's Dry Goods, Carpet and Cloak House, in selling all goods so cheap, it is good judgment to step in and buy all you may need for months to come; for certain it is neither Anstead nor any other merchant can afford to sell at half off the retail price very long.

LINCOLN MEMORIAL.

Patriotic People Hear Patriotic Addresses at the Grand Army Hall.

Remarks by Rev. W. C. Miller and Mrs. Alma Morgan-Kinney—Music.

A large audience of ladies and gentlemen filled the Grand Army Post hall last night on the occasion of the patriotic services held in memory of Abraham Lincoln, exercises that had been planned to be held Monday evening, Feb. 12th, the anniversary of the martyred president's birth, but were postponed because of the severity of the weather. The members of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans societies had charge of the meeting. Mrs. K. Harwood, president of the corps, announced the program which included the singing of "Ode Sweet Solemn Thought" by a quartette; prayer by Rev. J. A. F. King; "In Memoriam" by Miss Robertson; song, "Farewell Father, Friend and Guardian" by the quartette; address by Rev. W. C. Miller; song, "He Giveth His Beloved Sleep," by the quartette; a beautiful eulogy on Lincoln and presentation of a gavel by Mrs. Alma Morgan-Kinney; singing of "America," by the audience.

REV. W. C. MILLER'S ADDRESS.

Capt. J. A. F. King, the post adjutant, presented Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor of Congregational church, who delivered this glowing, patriotic tribute to Abraham Lincoln, which was frequently interrupted by enthusiastic applause:

Thoughts of liberty are the inheritance of mankind and from this liberty in the very storm center of the Colonial period was born the declaration of our freed men, throwing the glorious mantle of the revolution over the institutions of our land. The spirit of liberty has made our country broad enough, brave enough, to admit all creeds, except those that are destructive, all tongues except those seeking our bondage; all races in the triumphal process of this great daughter west of the Atlantic. I want to say that he who lies dead upon his shield in your tomb under the skies, that he loved till the heavens be no more, is the completest and grandest exponent of the star of liberty that has golden fringed the mantle of our national glory and has thrown over the wrecked clouds of discord, transcendent bow of peace. We ask to-night of this generation a reason for the imperial height of this man whose birth you so wisely hold in enduring remembrance and I am sure the generation preceding mine must answer. The reason rests in the perfect balancing of a great mind and great heart. In the greatness of his intellectual qualities and in the goodness of his moral qualities, and so true is one part to the other that in all the great results of his life it was impossible to say whether these results came from the greatness of his head or the goodness of his heart. But one ever surpassed him; he "who breathed beneath the Cyran blue," and has broken chains from the minds of men for 19 centuries.

Into the gathering storm—and it was a storm—it seemed as though the death day of American liberty had come, as though the doom of freedom had flung its mantle over every star, as though the brotherhood of the stars and stripes of the last breath. Into this storm, hideous and awful, a bloodthirsty tyranny, under clouded skies in whose folded shades angry mutterings were already heard; into this storm rode this man whose life was a unit of moral and mental powers, with a eady zeal, plodding carefulness, intrepid laboriousness, practical wisdom, conscious footing upon the earth, though head among the stars, with a fine sense of the authority of the people whom he was to lead; comprehensiveness of judgment, unflinching good temper, and unyielding tenacity of purpose, which by and by, when added to the fiery splendor of Sheridan, the intuitive eloquence of Sherman, the prophetic grandeur of Grant, and such cases those to tremble who believed in the divine right of slavery. Behold the splendor of his career and the glory of his faith as he stands a pioneer soul of the West amid the tried parliamentarians of the East. No one had his vision, silent, courageous, comprehensive, above the roar of the fray, his life rose to the dignity of imperial strength.

Ladies and gentlemen, it was an awful moment, how awful we of to-day have almost forgotten. There from the South, choked with cotton dust, over mountains, plain and stream, came rolling the great angered, armed power of slavery, the great angered, armed power of the freedom of our institutions, there from the west sweeping on the dull moaning winds was the spongy of dying thousands, and there from the north, humming with its forked, fiery tongue, came piercing into the very halls of congress a sympathy with the south that would make forever ineffective the national victories of our patriotism. This man had known defeat; defeat of great principles, when his soul longed for victory, but now standing at the very center of the most tremendous crisis that had ever come to this commonwealth, surrounded with men of half formed purpose, he towers like a mountain form above the mists and darkness below, through which the brilliancy of his genius was flashing and into whose cold regions he was throwing the ardor of his own warm heart. "The old Greek" would have said a God had descended, breathing the music of the morning from his lips. Here was the re-lum of the North, representing all that was truest in life—where humanity was saved; there to the South was that galien representing that which was falsest in life. Here the man stretched out his hands, touched his fellowman, looked up and said, "Our Father; there the man folded his arms, looked into the southern skies and said, "My Father." Here freedom was as free as the sunlight; there was the awful bondage of body, and soul, with no hope except the far away northern sky as the pledge of liberty.

Here was the divine humanitarianism insisting that the shadow of this terrible institution should come no further northward. There was the angry centralized aggressive selfishness demanding more and more territory till undisputed it should ride down every protest in our legislative halls.

Ladies and gentlemen, it was inevitable that these two types of characters should come together. Between these two periods here in the north when this man first began his great life, and that period there when he lay dying by the hand of that peculiar type of humanity; between these two periods what events stand like angels uniting them, and here right at this point. Here in this period, when these forces were rolling up from the south in fire and blood, and when these liberty lovers and Union preservers were going southward.

Between these organized powers in the midst of his awful crash, stands this imperial soul a shaken in unquestioned mastery with a prophetic grandeur in his soul, and a face illumined by the glowing flames of a sad but incomparable eloquence. The rise of government trembled in the balance. The progress of centuries waited with bated breath, but history turns no backward page. When the time came Abraham Lincoln put his statesmanship into honest swords, and lifted their shining edges over the mists of his country and the acclaim of a superb army of men as ever fought for freedom.

In all this thought he held to one immortal idea. What is done, must be done for the whole people. Into those days of confusion he threw that steadiness of vision, which revealed that all men were equal before the throne of God. Thus it was that he said: "This government cannot endure half slave and half free." Thus it was he breathed in every breath, "The Union must be preserved." Thus it was that our Republicanism was born to a higher thought in that moment when this man declared that all men were absolutely equal. There it stood in the heavens, this new fact for America, that God is father to all, and there is but one brotherhood to men. Is our Americanism becoming sensitive on the great question of the liberty of the negro?

Ladies and gentlemen, I will not be vain, neither will I stop my ears to the martial music of 1861 and 1865, not till I stand under the Syrian skies and grasp the blood-stained cross of my Christ, and it is into the valley of Goshen, will I come to touch with devoted lips this flag made sacred, holy, thrice holy, with the blood of a brother. There must be no tyranny to-day. Every man standing by this magnificent form in history must do his work in the larger power of this inspired leader of our grandest Americanism.

A WOMAN'S TRIBUTE.

In presenting a beautiful relic gavel to the W. R. C., Mrs. Alma Morgan-Kinney paid a grand tribute to Lincoln and patriotism. The gavel was made from a tree, cut from Lookout Mountain, where one of the great battles of the rebellion was fought, Nov. 24, 1863, and in the end of it is a bullet that was shot into the wood. The silver plate on the gavel is inscribed: "Presented to Dunham Relief Corps No. 4, by Alma Morgan-Kinney Feb. 12, 1894." Mrs. Harwood received the gift on behalf of the corps, and delivered a very neat response.

Oysters, sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake were served by the ladies after the exercises closed.

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The result of the greatest auction sale ever held in New York City. Over 7,000 pieces of Silk sold by Townsend & Montant last Wednesday. Through our representative we secured some choice bargains and are able to offer the following:

New designs in Printed Pongee Summer Silks, per yard, - - 35c

22-inch Printed China Dress Silks, a regular 75c quality, at - 50c

1,000 yards of Taffette Dress Silks, in checks and pin stripes, never sold at less than 75c a yard, now offered at - 50c

50 pieces Japanese Wash Silks, for dresses and dress waists, at 40c

24-inch China Silk Crepe, in cream, lemon, cardinal, Nile, pink, light blue and black, at - 45c

One lot of Crystal Silks, worth \$1.50 a yard, in pink, light blue, lemon, cardinal Nile green, myrtle, tan, wine and drab, at 75c

Fancy Pin Head Check Silks, in new combinations, per yard, 65c

50 pieces of Printed India Silks, 24 inches wide, in the latest designs and colors for the season. This quality sold last year at \$1.00 a yard, now - 75c

Pure Taffetta Silks, in new toned combination stripes, exclusive styles, at - 75c

Cheney Bros.' \$1.00 quality of Printed Pongee Silk for evening dresses, at - 75c

A novelty black and white striped Satin Princess Silk at - 95c

53 pieces of pure India Silks, 24 inches wide, and includes every shade made in this choice fabric, at - 50c

One lot of pure white Japanese and China Silks, 22 inches wide, sold last year at 75c and \$1.00, at - 50; 60, 65c

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Owing to the bad weather last week we have
decided to continue our sale

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Found by Keepers of Greenwich
Sailors' Home

LITERALLY BLOWN INTO FRAGMENTS

By the Premature Explosion of a Bomb
Carried with Diabolical Intent--
His Bad Record Traced
by the Police.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—A loud explosion
was heard just after nightfall last
night, by the keepers of Greenwich
park, about six miles from London
bridge. A hasty search led to the dis-
covery of a man mutilated and groan-
ing with pain near the hilltop close to
the observatory. His legs were shat-
tered. One arm had been blown from
his body, and he had been almost com-
pletely disemboweled. As soon as he
became conscious of the keepers' pres-
ence he begged them to help him or
kill him. He became insensible within
a few minutes, and ten minutes after
being carried to the Seaman's hospital
he died.

English and French papers found in
the man's pockets showed that he was
Marshall Bourdin, a foreign anarchist.
A peculiar powder in a package which
he had carried with him was not rec-
ognized by the police, and it has been
sent to government experts for anal-
ysis. The inquest will be held proba-
bly on Saturday.

A hurried investigation of Bourdin's
life in London goes to show that he
was a member of a dangerous anarch-
ist conspiracy, whose full details can
be known only after careful police
work. He was one of the foreign
refugees and is believed to have been
in London but a few months. He and
his colleagues frequented the notori-
ous Autonomic club in Grafton street,
and there, it is supposed, they hatched
the plot which Bourdin was to help
them execute by his contemplated act
in Greenwich. The increasing activ-
ity of the Autonomic club has been
noticed recently by the police.

DEATH AND WOE.

The Harrowing Tale Brought to Light
by an Accident at Forest
Park in St. Louis.

St. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—A man named
Cummings, who had sought work on
the Forest Park lake, yesterday, got in
the way of a tree that was being felled
and was almost instantly killed. Two
others were slightly injured by the
falling tree.

Michael Cummings was almost 70
years of age. For many years he
worked as a laborer for Haydock
Bros. Carriage Co., but since the fail-
ure of that concern six months ago he
has had no employment. Though a
widower, he was the practical support
of the family of his son, James E.
Cummings, formerly shipping clerk
for Haydock Bros., but like his father,
a victim of that failure.

"He seemed so glad to go to work,"
sobbed Mrs. John B. Cummings, as she
stayed her tears with a corner of her
apron and tried to pacify three chil-
dren, who came toddling about, full of
sympathy for the mother's distress.
"He came here on Tuesday and got his
overcoat and a shovel, and told me he
hoped now to be able to help us a
little. You see my husband has
been out of work all winter,
too, and we had no room
for his father here, so he has been
staying with a relative of his on Chest-
nut street. But he was good to us
whenever he had money, and I am as
sorry for his death as if he were my
own father. I am afraid it will kill
my husband to hear of this. He has
been out of work so long, and he is so
despondent. He only gets seven dol-
lars a week where he is now."

Mrs. Cummings stated that her
father-in-law was wholly without
means, and that he belonged to no
society or organization that would
give the body burial.

In the family of John B. Cummings
there are four children, all under 5
years of age, and the youngest a babe
in arms. They live at present at 1118
South Ninth street.

FIRE IN A MINE.

One Person Known to be Dead and
Other Losses Estimated.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 15.—The
Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad
Co.'s coal mine No. 2, at Blockton, the
largest in Alabama, caught fire last
night and has since been burning
fiercely. One man is known to have
lost his life. J. F. West, superintendent
of the pumping machinery, was in
the mine. The fire being between him
and the opening there was no chance
to escape, and he was suffocated. A
rescuing party was able to bring his
body out to-day. The watchmen were
barely able to escape.

It is rumored that there are three
or four other men in the mine, but this
the officials deny. The fire is thought
to have been of incendiary origin. The
mine is being flooded, and the loss will
be heavy. About 400 men are thrown
out of work temporarily.

HANGED AT MIDNIGHT.

Stone, the Murderer of the Wrattan
Family, Expires His Gait
Upon the Gallows.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 16.—James E.
Stone, who murdered six members of
the Wrattan family at Washington,
Ind., last September, was executed in-
side the walls of the Indiana prison,
south at Jeffersonville, at 12:04 o'clock
this morning. His neck was broken
by the fall, and the doctors pronounced
him dead after his body had been hang-
ing seventeen minutes.

An Improbable Story Denied.
BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The report that
Emperor William and the Duke of
Cumberland had agreed upon the
terms of settlement of the question of
the Brunswick succession is semi-offi-
cially denied.

GOOD TRANSLATORS SCARCE.

They Too Often Fail to Give the Exact
Flavor or Even the Inner Spirit.

A competition in translations was
held not long ago for prizes offered by
New York booksellers and publishers.
The outcome of the competition was
decidedly unsatisfactory. Most of the
translations sent in were from the
German. The best French writers of
short stories were badly represented,
and nothing taken from Italian or
Spanish originals proved available.
The only prize awarded—apparently it
was intended originally to give several
—was won by Miss C. S. Copeland, of
Sparkill, N. Y., her translations being
made from several of Paul Heyse's
short stories.

Whether because of ignorance or in-
advertence many of the competitors
selected productions which had been
translated already, and which, there-
fore, had been barred out. But the
most common as well as the most seri-
ous obstacle to success proved to be
the inability of the translators to make
a proper use of English. It was clear
that most of them could read the
original French, German or other for-
eign language with comparative flu-
ency, but they were incompetent to
imitate the peculiarities of the styles
of the foreign authors or to indicate
shades of meaning by fitting selections
of English terms. What sometimes
and with a certain propriety has been
termed the "atmosphere" of the origi-
nal they almost wholly failed to repro-
duce.

Probably the only practicable method
of obtaining good translations is to
pay enough for them to make it worth
the while of really accomplished liter-
ary people, who also are scholars in
some degree, to give their time to such
work. There are men and women who
are experts in one or more foreign
languages as well as in English, and who
also are so familiar with this or that
foreign author as to have absorbed
something of his very manner of
thought and expression. These by tak-
ing sufficient pains usually succeed in
rendering into English much of the
external flavor, and even of the inner
spirit, of the writings of foreign au-
thors. But such possible translators
seldom enter competitions, although
the holding of such a competition was
a good plan, and might have been ex-
pected fairly to develop some hitherto
unperceived ability. — Congregation-
alist.

Life's Early Promise.

Jackson.—That new baby of yours is
a fine little fellow.

Jenkins.—I should say. I'm a pretty
heavy man, myself; but he weighs a
great deal more, in proportion to his
age, than I do.—Puck.

Now Ready.

We desire to announce to the trade
that our Custom Shirt Department is
now in readiness, and shirts to measure,
in any style, white shirts, domestic and
imported Percale, Madras and Oxford,
made of best material at hand, will be
manufactured on short notice and under
our own supervision. To our laundry
customers we will offer this advantage.
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Sales of Real Estate.

Anna Hill Mills to W. R. Rapp, deed
to lots 14 and 15, block 1, E. W. Hill's
subdivision in Riverside Place—\$250.
Josephine V. Tyler and B. B. Tyler to
Harry Sheldensman, deed to 50 foot lot
in block 3, Starr & Mills' addition, River-
side Place—\$3800.

SARATON PARKING, of California, is
booked for a lecture before the Geo-
graphical Society of Washington, on the
whale fishery. The Senator was a whale
fisher in his early days before he went to
California.

The inmates of English prisons are
employed in picking oysters, making coal
bags for the navy, and mail bags for the
general postoffice.

QUIDA's new book, "Two Offenders," is
dedicated to the memory of Guy de Maupassant.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor,
dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with
correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minne-
apolis and St. Louis, for the following market
quotations: CHICAGO, ILL., February 15, 1894.

ARTICLES.	Open- ing.	High's	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Feb.	58 1/2	59 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
May.	58 1/2	59 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
July.	58 1/2	59 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
CORN—				
Feb.	34	35	33 1/2	34 1/2
May.	34	35	33 1/2	34 1/2
July.	34	35	33 1/2	34 1/2
OATS—				
Feb.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
May.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
July.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2

LONDON, 1 p. m. —Carriage of coast wheat
quiet, demand for French continue; corn
quiet, offering. On passage and/or shipment,
wheat rather quiet, corn quiet, but steady.

LYONS, 1 p. m. —Wheat spot at opening,
buyers hold off hoping to obtain some con-
cessions; corn less disposition to buy.

CLOSING PROVISIONS.

POKE—Feb. \$13 25, Mar. \$13 25.
LARD—Feb. \$7 40, Mar. \$7 25.
HES—Feb. \$6 25, Mar. \$6 25.

TO-SAY'S RECEIPTS—CASH LOANS
Wheat, all grades, 40, Estimated 50.
Corn, all grades, 70, Estimated 80.
Oats, all grades, 60, Estimated 60.

Wheat 27,000, names estimate, market firm
and active. Lard, 100,000, \$1.05 1/2. Heavy
packing \$1.05 1/2. Oats, 20,000.
Cattle 8,000; market dull.
Swine 10,000; market dull.

+IT IS+ A RECORD BREAKER.

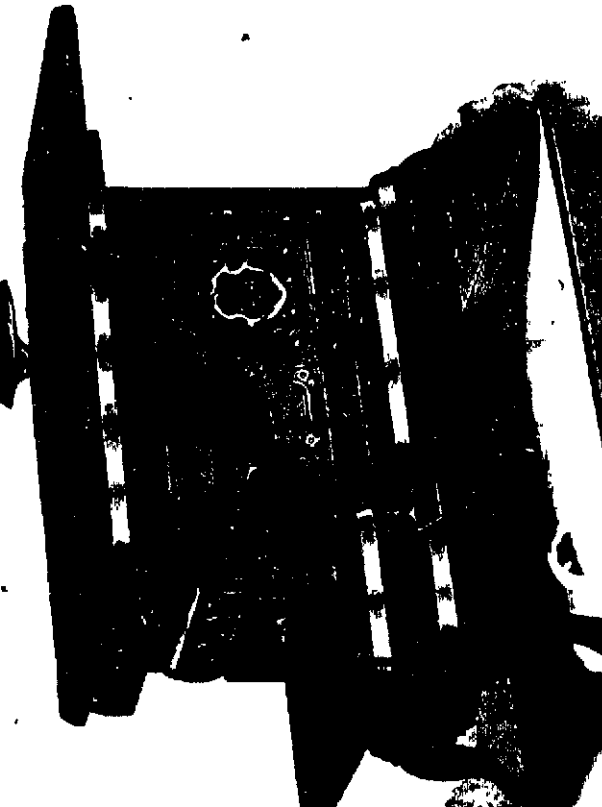
Our sales have gone far beyond our
expectations.

The people of Decatur and vicinity
know a good thing when they see it
is the only explanation we can give.

The stock of Suits and Overcoats is
still unbroken. Come while the sun
shines. Make your dollars reach far-
ther than you will ever make them go
again.

C. J. BRYAN,
The People's Clothier,
OLD POST OFFICE STAND

THIS STOVE OR PAYMENTS OF \$1.00 PER WEEK FOR \$16.00.
HAS ALL LATE IMPROVEMENTS AS SHOWN. Cheapest and best line of FURNITURE,
CARPETS AND STOVES in the city. See us before you buy.
AKERS & SANFORD, Next to Post Office.



There was a young wife in
Good Hope,
Who always used
SANTA CLAUS SOAP,
She on a lost her head,
When her washing to bed,
And her thread hung out on the
rope.
BUT IT WAS WHITE AND CLEAN
ALL THE SAME.
FOR LAUNDRY USE
THERE IS NO EQUAL TO
SANTA CLAUS
SOAP.
It is the best soap made for every household use. I once
introduced it is always recommended to the family.
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At J. Edward Saxton's Book Store.

I have a large assortment of entirely New
Patterns for Fancy Work, and am prepared
to do Stamping at short notice.
The ladies are invited to call and see them.

SAXTON'S BOOK STORE,

120 Prairie Avenue.

IF YOU HAVE MONEY

That you can invest in
DIAMONDS

You will be able to make it buy more now than ever before in

YOUR LIFETIME.

We have some very decided Bargains imported late last season when we could get them low. Now we will be glad to let you have them the same way.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

WE CAN'T DO IT AGAIN.

We presume that everybody understands that we cannot duplicate the offer we are now making on the James A. Banister fine shoes for men. The only reason why we are able to make the prices which we are now making on these goods is that we purchased them at 52¢ cents on the dollar of the wholesale cost price after the failure of Ferriss & Co. We therefore can offer them at the price we are now selling them at, although we do not expect and cannot hope that we will be able to replace these goods next year and sell them at anything like this money. The James A. Banister line of Men's Fine Shoes is famous the world over for correctness in style, thoroughness in workmanship, perfect in fit and high quality material. The Cordovan shoes are known under the various names of Horsehide, Coltskin, etc., and some people make a great talk about them as at a low price when they are sold regularly at \$4 and \$5 per pair. There are no better shoes of this kind than those of the Banister make and we are running them out, either Calf or Cordovan, at the unheard of price of

+\$2.69 PER PAIR.

Ask any shoe dealer to duplicate this price on this kind of a shoe and he will tell you that it cannot be done. He will tell you that it is impossible, and we say he is right, for it is impossible under all conditions other than those in a case like ours. We own the goods at 52¢ on the dollar and if we want money bad enough to sell them at a figure which is impossible in our ordinary business, that is our affair. We find that the gentlemen of Decatur all want a high grade shoe when they can get it at such a low price.

The Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes which we are selling at \$1.89 are commonly called hand-sewed and are as good as any one needs for wear. They are made out of the finest calf and are great for wear. They sell regular at \$3.50 and \$4 in all the stores.

The sale on both of these lines of shoes have been unprecedented. We want you to come at once for the pairs which you wish to buy.

Remember, We Can't Do It Again.

We continue the sale of Ladies' Rochester fine hand turn shoes, made to sell at \$4 for \$1.79. Also the sale of Ladies' Fine Machine Sewed Shoes, made by the same manufacturer and over the same last, made to sell at \$3 per pair. Take as many pairs of them as you want at \$1.39 per pair.

We are determined to make this January the largest in the amount of sales of any in the history of the store. We have the bottom knocked out of the prices. Come and get what you want in shoes. The like of this opportunity will not appear again.

+ FRANK H. COLE, +

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 EAST MAIN STREET.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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WOOD'S
OYSTERS
TO SUIT
YOU.

FRIDAY EVE, FEB. 16, 1894.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ASSASSIN.
We are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KEEFER as a candidate for the office of Assessor for Decatur township, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

TOWNSHIP CLERK.
We are authorized to announce CHARLES H. DEETZ as a candidate for the office of Township Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.
We are authorized to announce E. G. ALLIN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.
We are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CLARK as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

CITY NEWS.

10 Cents.
For the above price you can buy a beautiful line of pin trays or burnt match receivers in beautiful decorations. Only a limited quantity left at this price.
J. W. RACE, Assignee.

SAVE the coupons and get part first of "Photographic Tour of the World."

COUGH remedies, all kinds, at Dawson's. The old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar26dt

Tip Top Patent Peacock Flour.

Go to Henry Bro's, bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. sep26-dt

Irwin's Toilet Cream has no equal for chapped hands.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keok & Weigand, are the best in town. mar26dt

Use Irwin's Fig Laxative Syrup pleasant and effective.

W. C. BURLEY was at the poor farm yesterday looking over his job.

Smoke Golden Keys at Dawson's. Smoke the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are the best for the money—made by Joseph Mohl.

You can get the finest California can goods at Davidson & Eymann's. 8-dlw

FRANK garden seeds in bulk at the Spencer & Lehman company's. feb6-dm

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses 10 cents. jan4-dt

DAVIDSON & EYMAN have a full line of fresh vegetables. Give them a call. Telephone 412. 8-dlw

We guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen's.

Peacock Flour \$1.00 per sack.

Buy a Compton Book at Davidson & Eymann's and get a 5 per cent discount on the dollar—150 North Main; telephone 412. feb8-dlw

"**AFRIC** FOOL" is said to be exceedingly novel in the construction and a fun creator of the first water. At the Grand tonight.

The Bayers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodak and learn how. feb6dt

The Antioch Baptist church has deferred the baptism on account of the deep snow. The Rev. G. A. Turner of Champaign will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. He will officiate for the church in the absence of the pastor who will go next week to assist Rev. M. O. Cox of Booneville, Mo., in a meeting.

ATHE'S HAIR VIGOR keeps the scalp free from dandruff, prevents the hair from becoming dry and it makes it flexible and glossy. All the elements that nature requires, to make the hair abundant and beautiful, are supplied by this admirable preparation.

If you have money that you can invest in DIAMONDS, you will be able to make it buy more now than ever before in your lifetime. We have some, they decided bargains imported late last season when we could get them low. Now we will be glad to let you have them in the same way.
OTTO E. CURTIS.

This morning a little five-year-old girl named Mary, apparently an Italian, was abandoned by her mother at the home of Frank Jones, on Central avenue. Frank and his wife were absent at the time the mother called at the house and left the girl there with the domestic. Now Mr. Jones is anxious to find the mother of the little girl. He is not anxious, though, to take any action against any more responsible parties.

VERDICT FOR FELIX GARVER.

Another Jury Decides That He Shall Receive Over \$1000.

In the circuit court to-day arguments were heard in the case of Felix M. Garver, vs. J. B. Gorio, administrator of the estate of David Garver, deceased, and this afternoon the jury brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$1048.97. He got a verdict at the first trial in the county court for \$1042.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.
O. B. Tennis vs. Harry Midkiff; replevin, Motion by plaintiff for a new trial.

O. B. Tennis vs. Harry Midkiff; replevin, Motion by plaintiff for a new trial.

Joseph L. Berry, appellant, vs. William Shoels; appeal. Continued by agreement.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.
People vs. Neil Hersey; keeping a lewd house. Defendant pleaded guilty to five counts, and fined \$30 and costs.

People vs. Della Ballentine; keeping lewd house. Defendant pleaded guilty to five counts, and fined \$30 and costs.

Looking for a Woman.

Attorney I. D. Walker, who with Uriah Bricker, went to Baltimore, Md., to look after the interests of 60 descendants of Stephen Mast in the \$100,000,000 estate states that the heirs will be somewhat at sea until they can find a piece of Mast, who died in Ohio. She was married in Baltimore to a Bricker in 1760, but there is no record of marriage there dating back further than 1785. Considerable correspondence is to be done and a vast amount of proof submitted before proceedings in court can be commenced. Mr. Walker says if he doesn't find trace of the niece within six months he may never unravel the intricate case. There was a provision in the first lease that at the end of the first 99 years, the occupants of the ground on which a large part of the city of Baltimore is built might renew the leases for another 99 years. The heirs are anxious to establish their rights so that they can receive the money due for the rental of the land for nearly 100 years.

SAVE your coupons and get first part of Photographic Tour of the World.

The Decatur schools.

In another part of this paper appears a statement by Superintendent E. A. Gastman, relating to our public schools and school buildings, which is of interest to the people of this city. The statement shows that in many departments the schools are over-crowded. This argues that more school houses and more school rooms must be built unless some way can be found to diminish the school-going population. It is useless to argue any other method for relief, save the building of more places to accommodate them, and the statement made by Mr. Gastman, which is clear and conclusive, serves notice upon the public of the inevitable.

Card Party.

Mrs. F. M. Young and sister, Mrs. M. B. Nelson, gave a delightful afternoon whist party yesterday at her home on West Prairie avenue. There were 24 ladies present who enjoyed a game of drive whist. The prize, which was an exquisite piece of china, was captured by Mrs. Henry Elwood. The supper was served on a long, tastefully decorated table with red and yellow tulips. Tulips were used in the decorations throughout the house. Mrs. Charles Capen, of Bloomington, was among the guests. Mrs. Young will entertain again this evening.

Riverside Property Sale.

The fine residence of E. S. Tyler, on Lincoln avenue in Riverside Place, second house west of the street railway, has been sold through the agency of Kony & Johns to Harry Shlandeman for \$4000. It is a very complete dwelling, and Mr. Shlandeman will take possession after his marriage to Miss McGuray, which will occur in the near future.

Mr. Tyler owns a vacant lot adjoining his old residence near the corner of Lincoln avenue and Maffit street, and as soon as the weather will permit he will build a new dwelling for his own use.

The Power of the Press.

"The Power of the Press," to be presented at the Grand on Tuesday evening, February 20th, is so well known to many theatre-goers who witnessed the magnificent production last winter in this city, that it is hardly a necessary to give the plot. The play will be given with all care to details, and by almost the same company as was seen in its last season. Certain it is, the play meets the tastes of the general public, and the story entertains and interests from the first to the last scene.

McKane Found Guilty.

John Y. McKane, the political boss of Coney Island, was yesterday found guilty of aiding and abetting the inspectors in six election districts in Gravesend, N. Y., in violating the election laws, and will be sent to prison. McKane is a Democratic boss, and aided in committing the election frauds in the November election.

Spoonholders.

In this line of goods you will find some one hundred different styles of china and glass, both fancy and plain, which we are closing out at the uniform price of 15 cents each. Do not fail to get one of these spoonholders.
J. W. RACE, Assignee.

Three ladies who subscribed for the tickets for the extra cooking lessons at the Mrs. Ewing school are requested by the management to call at the Woman's Exchange to-day and Saturday and make payment without further delay.

MRS. SHELTON'S LECTURE.

She Tells a Large Audience What She Saw in Her Tour of Eastern Africa.

Mrs. French Sheldon, who explored Eastern Africa, traveling a thousand miles with no company save natives who were employed to accompany her and carry the baggage, lectured at the First M. E. church last night under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society, of that church. The attendance was large and the lecture was highly interesting and instructive. Mrs. Sheldon explained how she came to make this remarkable journey, stating that she had traveled extensively for years, and decided to visit this interesting country, the area of which is equal to one-fifth of that of the world. She went entirely independent of any government and was perfectly free to go where she chose and return when she was ready. Her caravan, she said, was organized at Zanzibar at her own expense. The men she engaged numbered 188 and were paid \$12 a month six months in advance. Subsequently she added women enough to swell the number to 200. They represented 43 distinct nationalities, all having different impulses, and, of course, for this reason, having to be managed in almost as many different ways. They were all well armed for protection against hostile tribes, through which they travelled almost exclusively, in case their march was impeded by force, and to protect themselves against wild beasts which infest the regions through which they passed. She made the march into the wildest regions of the country, from Zanzibar, a distance of 450 miles, and visited African tribes so wild that Stanley marched hundreds of miles to avoid them, and received no serious injury and had no serious trouble with the natives into whose territory she came. Marches often had to be made by night, in many cases, to avoid trouble with the savages and often to avoid the excessive heat of day. Care had to be taken in preparing to make the journey successful, as it is impossible to buy anything in the interior with money, as the people there know nothing about money. The first difficulty she had was to train herself for the demands of the venture, in order that she might impress herself upon her followers as a leader and commander. On the march they travelled in single file, the natives carrying the baggage on their heads, which made a column over one mile long. The natives she met she described as wild children of the forest, simple in their manners and inclined to meanness. The women do the farm work and the men do the bear work and the fighting. In her experience with the languages of the 35 tribes she visited she found that with 150 words in our language, and an interpreter, she could converse with all those different tribes. Their medium of exchange is beads for which with five large beads a woman could be bought, and with ten a cow exchanged owners. The tribes that saw her use knives and forks, and saw her comb in her hair, she found, upon her return trip, had made wooden knives and forks and combs, and presented many of them to her which she brought home. From the facts she concludes that these people could be reached through their tendency toward civilization in this regard. In the course of her lecture she described the many dangers she passed through, giving many very thrilling experiences she had which made her audience wonder how a woman could endure them without dying from fright. She had on exposition many curiosities she brought with her, and which she had gathered on her expedition, which were examined with much curiosity and interest, after the lecture, by many who were present.

In a financial sense the lecture proved a success and the ladies of the church, who secured Mrs. Sheldon, are entitled to much credit for the good judgment in securing the lecturer and for their untiring energy in working up the attendance.

Notice.

There will be a called meeting of Bay Leaf Camp No. 28, B. N. of A., at Dr. Pierce-Collins' office, 255 N. Main, Friday evening, Feb. 16, at 7 p. m. All members are requested to be present. Dr. Pierce-Collins, orator. Etta Andrews, recorder. 14-18

Mrs. Ewing's Receipts Free.

The hardware firm of C. L. Griswold & Co. have secured several hundred copies of "The Review Edition" of Mrs. Ewing's receipts, and will give one to each lady visiting their place of business. 18-dlw

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W. W. RACE,

Assignee.

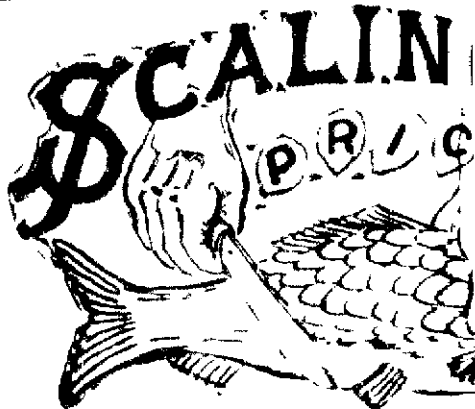
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On all of our Double-Breasted coats and Vests a discount of 33 1/3 which reduces an \$18 Vester to \$12.

All other Winter weights in Men's Overcoats will be sold 10 per cent off.

Our prices have always been lower than other houses, and we will make a better competitor. (Where other houses charge 25 per cent on a \$20 suit, which reduces to \$15, we bring the same grade of suit to \$12.50 and Overcoats at the same ratio.)

All of our \$7, \$8.50, \$9 and \$5 Pants. We guarantee our prices are equal to any made by our competitors on the same quality.

This sale includes Winter Underwear, Mittens. We are going to make the big month if the people need the goods.

All goods sold at these prices for Cash Sale to continue for 30 days only.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY AN OVERCOAT.

COME AND

RACE CLOTHING

129--135 North Water

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Story of Husband and Wife

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What seems to the wife the correct course is the husband lots of trouble. The wife comes excited and joins in the search for the neighbors; the house is locked, everything is silent as the tomb. The no tidings of the missing ones. Even gone. The husband returns at noon, as he finds the home cold, silent, dark, the noonday meal; no smiling wife to greet the result? He arouses what few people in the neighborhood. The search is still hundred cases of this kind have been many a weary search and anxious enquiry found in some one of the 18 departments, instead half-off sale.

In some cases the people were found buying Anstead's all-wool carpets at 47 1/2¢ and 50¢. In one instance two husbands surprised to find both wives. Each had \$1.00 nightgowns at half off, paying just 50¢. The greatest number of missing ladies' time was in Anstead's Dress Goods. There are a half dozen clerks cutting off Serges and Henriettas at 62¢ and 64¢, just half the regular price, which is \$1.25. People were buying Slotin dress hampers yard instead of paying the regular price. The Hosiery, Corset and Underwear crowded. The Thread department, which is the desk, and as the cashier assists in the Clark's and Coats' cotton out for 10¢, large, and at the same time changing ten of her very busy. Well, facts are stubbornly conceded fact that the half-off sale now. Anstead's Dry Goods, Carpet and Clock goods so cheap, it is good judgment to get you may need for months to come. Anstead nor any other merchant can afford to off the retail price very long.